



Durham Bicycle & Pedestrian Advisory Commission

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TO: Mayor Bill Bell and Durham City Council Members
FROM: Erik Landfried, Chair, Durham Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Commission
RE: Proposed Policy Governing the Management and Removal of Memorials on City Property
DATE: October 22, 2014

The Durham Bicycle and Pedestrian Advisory Commission (BPAC) is an advisory board appointed by the Durham City Council and the Durham County Commissioners. The purpose of BPAC is to advise on bicycle and pedestrian issues.

At its meeting on October 21, the Durham BPAC heard a presentation from City staff on the proposed policy entitled, "Memorials on City Property." The City Council had previously forwarded this proposed policy to BPAC for review and comment.

After much discussion, on a motion by Jeff Bakalchuck and second by Mary Ross, the Commission voted 9-1 to make the following recommendation:

The Durham BPAC supports the proposed policy "Memorials on City Property" as written with one suggested change, that the 30-day period for memorial removal would be triggered only if the City receives a complaint from someone who says that they live or work in Durham.

Thank you for your consideration of this recommendation.

cc: Thomas J. Bonfield, City Manager, City of Durham
Bo Ferguson, Deputy City Manager, City of Durham
Dale McKeel, Bicycle and Pedestrian Coordinator, City of Durham